



# NEWS RELEASE

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**District:** 05 – Santa Barbara, San Luis Obispo, Monterey, San Benito and Santa Cruz Counties

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## U.S. HIGHWAY 101 MEDIAN BARRIER PROJECT NOW UNDERWAY

**NIPOMO** – A project to construct a median barrier on Hwy. 101 from the Los Berros Road Undercrossing to the Bridge Street Undercrossing is now underway.

Motorists will encounter alternating lane closures in both directions of Hwy. 101 during the **overnight hours** each week from Sunday night through Friday morning from **8 pm to 6 am**.

Motorists can expect a delay not to exceed ten minutes. The contractor for this \$2.8 million project is Calportland Construction of Santa Maria CA. This project is expected to be completed by next spring.

**Caltrans reminds motorists to move over and slow down when driving through Caltrans construction zones.**

For traffic updates on other state highway projects in San Luis Obispo County, motorists can call Caltrans District 5 Public Affairs at 805-549-3318 or visit the District 5 website at: [http://www.dot.ca.gov/dist05/road\\_information.htm](http://www.dot.ca.gov/dist05/road_information.htm)

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